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PATENT *1639*

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE  
(Case No. 00-387-J)

In the Application of:

Benkovic, et al.

Serial No.: 09/996,420

Filed: November 29, 2004

For: DNA Methyltransferase Inhibitors

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) Examiner: Rita J. Desai

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) Art Unit: 1639

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) Confirmation No. 2558

**TRANSMITTAL LETTER**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

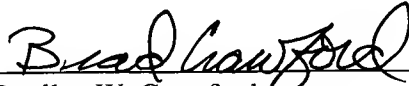
Dear Sir:

In regard to the above identified application,

1. We are transmitting herewith the attached:
  - a) Response to the Office Action Mailed May 20, 2004;
  - b) Petition for Two-Month Extension of Time; and
  - c) Return Receipt Postcard.
2. With respect to fees:
  - a) A check in the amount of \$210.00 is enclosed for the Petition for Two-Month Extension of Time.
  - b) Please charge any underpayment or credit any overpayment our Deposit Account, No. 13-2490.
3. CERTIFICATE OF MAILING UNDER 37 CFR § 1.8: The undersigned hereby certifies that this Transmittal Letter and the paper, as described in paragraph 1 hereinabove, are being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as First Class Mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on August 20, 2004.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: August 20, 2004

  
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